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Rival Firms Offer Trash Dumps For Township at C. of C. Session

Washington Township, now without a badly-needed trash dump, may find itself with two—or at least in the position of having to choose between a couple of them.

This became apparent Monday night when two rival garbage firms told the Township Chamber of Commerce they intend to establish refuse dumps here. The Chamber has been trying to get one established.

Al Gamba of the East Bay Garbage Co., said his firm has agreed to rent a dump site in the hills bordering the highway north of Mission San Jose.

Dick Lucia, San Leandro operator, said he is negotiating with Leslie Salt Co. to purchase a site west of Newark.

The announcements brought hints of hostile reactions from Mission San Jose and Newark delegates.

Chamber President Maurice Marks, a Mission dweller, told Gamba:

"That's a bad place you picked. Already the winds bring the hog smells down to my place. That is slated to be a fine residential district up there. It was turned down a few months ago for a quarry. If they couldn't get a quarry, you can't get a dump permit."

This brought Marks a tart rejoinder from Newark's Kenneth Foster:

"Where do you want it—in Newark where you can't smell it?"

Gamba was trying to explain that only trash will be taken there to burn, not garbage. Then Lucia broke in with the announcement that he plans a dump near Newark, at the end of Perrin Avenue.

While the Newarkers rose in protest, Marks hastily interposed: "That would have to be okehed by Newark before this chamber would oke it. I hope that'd be true for Mission too. I am going to put this over until the chairman of our sanitation committee, Gordon Cotton, is present to give us his views."

Bruce Michael, member of Cotton's committee which initiated the search for a trash dump, promised the committee will work with both firms in obtaining a suitable location.

"All we want is to get dump service," Michael stressed.

Michael and Manuel Hidalgo said they investigated Lucia's operations at Russell City and found them satisfactory.

Backing of the Chamber of Commerce was sought by the two firms (1) because it would carry weight with the County Planning Commission before which they must seek a dump permit, and (2) because a garbage-collection service would be run in connection with the dump.

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January 20	58	39
January 21	67	42
January 22	59	45
January 23	60	39
January 24	53	28
January 25	52	30
January 26	62	31
Rainfall .20 inch January 20, and .42 inch January 24. Seasonal rainfall to date; 6.20 inches.		

Niles School OK Given by State

Plans for Niles' new grammar school were over all but the last State hurdle this week, and Supt. E. Dixon Bristow said he expects to call for contractors' bids in a matter of days.

Bristow reported the school plans have now been approved by (1) the State School Planning Commission, and (2) the State Division of Architecture. They are now being okehed by the Alameda Board, which last August earmarked \$318,074 for the structure.

As soon as the Board approves them, they will be returned to Niles. Bristow said he will then convene his trustees to call for bids.

"I believe we'll be able to start construction by the first of March and have most of the school ready for occupancy late in the fall," Bristow predicted.

The school will be located just east of the present Ellsworth Orchard tract, and will take care of youngsters who live east of the highway. The present school now has about 720 pupils jammed into a building designed for less than 500.

The new building will contain nine classrooms, plus other modern facilities. Architects are Anderson & Simonds, of Oakland. Although the State money will pay most of the costs of construction, about \$70,000 in local bonds money voted last June also will be used.

SHEFFIELD, HAYNES NEWARK REC' HEADS

Governor Goodwin J. Knight last week appointed Neil H. Sheffield and Orvil A. Haynes as members of the board of trustees of the Newark Park, Recreation and Parkway District.

The number of positions on the board was increased from three to five by the 1953 legislature.

Mrs. Norma Snow [Willburt], president, and Mrs. Lillian Costa, secretary, and one of the appointees will come up for re-election this November, while the

High School Meeting Virtually Unanimous; Supervisors form District to Halt Damage

In a public meeting rated one of the most important ever held here, homeowners, farmers and businessmen of Central Washington Township last week approved formation of Flood Control Zone 5.

The decision, made almost unanimously by 100 persons at Washington Union High School, gave the go-ahead sign to the county's Flood Control District.

Therefore, the district's Advisory Commission, headed by W. D. Patterson of Newark, agreed to recommend to the Supervisors that Zone 5 be formed this year.

The Supervisors this week sent the zone boundaries to Sacramento for inclusion in the tax roll for the fiscal year starting next July 1. No tax will be levied, however, until (1) concrete plans have been drawn, and until (2) voters here decide whether they want to finance the zone with a bond issue.

Eventual work on the Alameda Creek watershed may cost as much as \$8,500,000, Engineer Herbert G. Crowle estimated at last Thursday's session. However, much of this will probably be underwritten by the State and Federal governments.

Area of the zone is 71 square miles, two square miles larger than the City of Oakland. Crowle said that when fully developed it may contain 300,000 people.

He stressed before the vote that only by flood control and proper drainage can the land around Niles, Centerville, Newark and Decoto reach its maximum development.

"Work can be started early next year if bonds are approved sometime this year," Crowle stressed. He said the county has pledged to keep tax costs below 50 cents per \$100 annually.

Organized opposition to the zone failed to materialize. Speaking for delay, "for more information," were two men, A. K. Logan and Al Ferreira.

"We're not for it, and not against it," declared Ferreira, who is new chairman of the Decoto Chamber of Commerce. "We just don't know enough about it."

"Wasn't (a flood control engineer) at your meeting two weeks ago, and didn't he spend two hours explaining it?" demanded Manuel Hidalgo, immediate past president of the Decoto Chamber of Commerce. Hidalgo said the Decoto Homeowners' Association favors the program.

Logan argued "the small representation here tonight" wasn't enough to decide the issue, and added:

"We're pretty well through the rainy season now, anyway." Whereupon Louis Leimbach of Decoto, trucker, rose to assert:

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SNOW BUNNIES—Freezing week-end weather brought light snowfalls to higher reaches of Washington Township, illustrated in this roadside scene at end of Mill Creek Road, behind Mission Peak. Three Mission San Jose youngsters, Florence Nixon, 6½, and her brothers, Bert, 2½, and George, 4, frolic in the unusual white crystals. (Register Photo)

SNOW COMMITTEE'S REPORT

Township Chamber Accepts Public Memberships in Debate-Free Vote

The Washington Township Chamber of Commerce, four years old this month, will be a spanking-new baby again if the Snow Committee recommendations are accepted in February.

With only Newark representatives voting "no," 18 delegates from every town in the Township Monday night accepted without debate the recommendations of a committee headed by Newark's Charles B. Snow.

The Snow Committee asked that:

1. Township Chamber membership be opened to the public. In the past, it has been open only to three delegates from each of the eight local towns.

2. Voting powers be divided between eight "town-appointed directors and the membership-at-large, much as is done between the U. S. Senate and the House of Representatives. However, in this case, members-at-large would have a slight edge.

The changes, which are to be incorporated in the chamber's by-laws at the February 25 meeting, have been debated for several months.

Snow said backers of the reorganization hope the revamping will bring new blood—and new money—into the central organization by encouraging public participation. Dues remain to be set at a later date.

Snow asked that the delegates accept or reject his committee's suggestions as a whole. This was done without debate, on motion of Bruce Michael, also a committee member.

However Kenneth Foster, Newark delegate, pointed out he was instructed by Newark Chamber directors to register a protest. Said he:

"We favor retention of the original by-laws and intent. We went along with the Robertson report. This report strays from that one."

The Irvington Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday voted approval of the Snow Committee Report. Niles' chamber also heard an outline of the report, and will act on it next week. Centerville business men approved it Monday.

But, in the interests of harmony, if the Snow recommendations are accepted, we believe this should be a democratic organization, and we will go along with the majority."

Added Vance Kaehler, another Newark delegate:

"Any set of bylaws will work, if the members put their heart into it."

The Snow Committee's revised bylaws:

1. Set up a new classification of general membership, open to any person or firm paying dues. General membership meetings will be once a month. Each town will have a "free" general member.

2. Establish one director from each town. These also meet once a month, with the Chamber president presiding.

3. Allow either directors or members to initiate studies or votes on policy issues. But directors have to ratify members' actions to make them official, and vice-versa.

4. Provide that membership proposals which might be vetoed by the directors can be passed at the next membership meeting by two-thirds vote.

Michael complimented Snow on his conduct of the committee, commenting:

"He was in the hot seat. He was trying to do the best possible job for the Township, and still protect the towns' interests."

Copies of the Snow proposals will be sent this week to each town chamber for study prior to the February 25 vote.

LINCOLN, RITCHIE GOP RALLY STARS

Two outstanding speakers have been scheduled for Friday night's Township Republican rally, Chairman Vernon Ellsworth announced today.

They are Luther H. "Abe" Lincoln, assemblyman from the 15th District (East Oakland); and Jess Ritchie, ferry battery-additive manufacturer who is the GOP-committee-backed candidate for Congress in the Eighth District, which includes this area.

Ellsworth said the meeting will commence at 8 o'clock in the Washington Hi visual-education room.

Purpose of the rally is to arouse interest in the coming June primary. All Townshippers are invited to attend.

TO ARMS, O'VILLE! SEIDEL IS COMING

County Supt. of Schools Vaughn D. Seidel, whose imposing car is often a target for criticism in Centerville, this week consented to appear before the local Chamber of Commerce, even as that body prepared new ammunition.

Seidel replied to an invitation to discuss operations of his office in a letter read to the chamber on Monday. He said he will speak there February 8.

Meantime however the letter served as a reminder to Mrs. C. G. Perkins, who was attending the chamber luncheon. She demanded—and got—a letter from the businessmen reminding the Supervisors that Centerville wants the county to buy inexpensive cars for its employees. Dr. Seidel has been under fire at the chamber for (1) driving about in a large and expensive model county sedan, and (2) for having a two-way radio in the machine.

NILES DROPS PLEA FOR GI TAX PROBE

Dr. T. C. Wilson's demand for investigation of alleged "chisel-ing" on veterans' exemptions was bypassed by the Niles Chamber of Commerce Tuesday.

Dr. Wilson last week sought a chamber letter to Assessor Russell Horstmann for a probe into what he claimed were well-to-do ex-GIs claiming a \$1000 property-tax exemption even though their holdings are over \$5000, the legal ceiling.

Tuesday, the chamber secretary, Vernon Ellsworth, read a reply from Horstmann to the effect that laws base the ceiling on assessed property values, which are about one-fifth of actual values in this county.

Thus, explained Ellsworth, almost all veterans do qualify for the exemption, and the issue should be dropped. It was, by the members' silent consent.

Dr. Wilson, who is a veteran of World Wars I and II, was not on hand for the decision.

Visiting Kin Dies

Mrs. Emma L. Kennedy, 74, of Manson, Iowa, died January 26 in an Alameda hospital after suddenly becoming ill while visiting relatives here.

She was the aunt of Mrs. Rolie Sloniker of Niles, wife of the late James Kennedy and sister of Lloyd Harmon of Manson, Iowa. Remains are being sent to Manson for interment.

HEARING SET

Preliminary hearing for Lewis Hoskey, 41, Mission San Jose trucker, who is accused of manslaughter and drunken driving in connection with a fatal accident near Warm Springs on Christmas Eve, has been continued until February 5 before Judge E. A. Quaresma.

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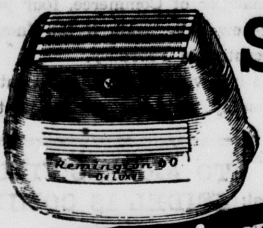
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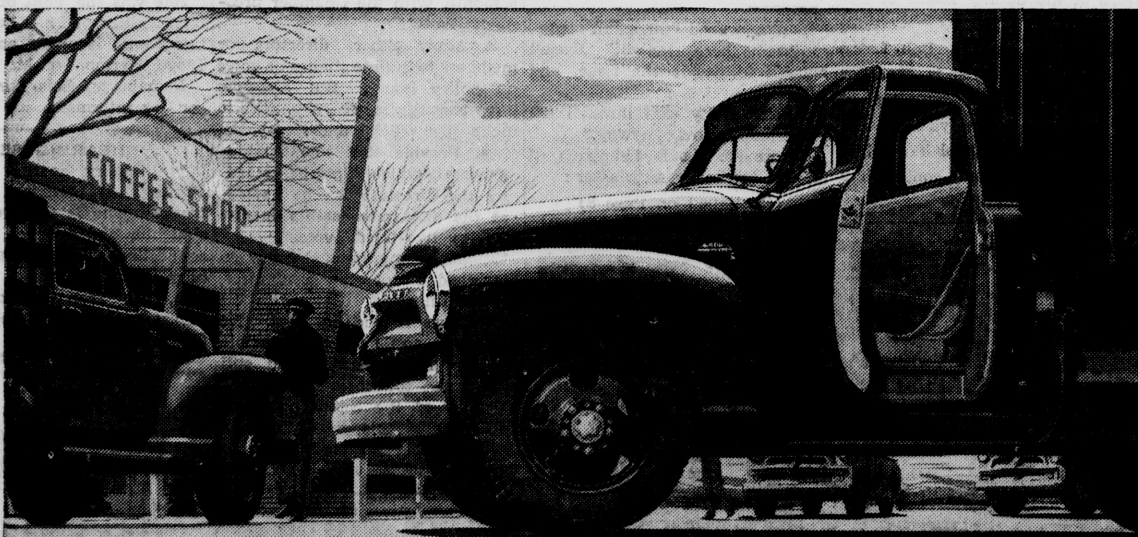
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By VIRGINIA CLARK

CO-WORKERS at Friden Calculating Co., San Leandro, surprised Mrs. John Zarrick with a housewarming party January 22. Participating were: Mrs. Lorraine Morriea, Hayward; Mrs. Marcia Webber, San Lorenzo; and Mrs. Beatrice Rammacotti, Mrs. Natilie Gonzales and Mrs. Lillian Bippis, all of San Leandro. Mrs. Zarrick's housewarming gift was a beautiful rhododendron plant.

MR. and MRS. JAMES KENNELLY and son, Peter, of San Jose were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Siatt on January 16.

MARY JOYCE HOREJSI of 320 Glendale Drive celebrated her eighth birthday with a party on January 23. Guests were: Judy Burrous, Kristin Kvarstrom, Deborah Spencer, Maxine and Jackie Coyle, Peggy Burnside and Linda Frick.

SINCERE SYMPATHY to Mrs. W. C. Wooton whose father recently passed away. Mr. and Mrs. Wooton returned January 19 from the funeral in Cleveland.

WELCOME to Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hopkins and Mrs. Grace Rudell, Mrs. Hopkins' mother, who recently moved into their new home at 353 Blacow Road. The Hopkins are former San Leandro residents. Mr. Hopkins is with the Kilburn Office Service, a division of Safeway Stores, in Oakland.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY to Michael Tatum who was nine years old January 26.

OF INTEREST to many Glenmoor residents is the news that plans for the shopping center are nearing completion. Barring unforeseen delays, construction may begin by March.

NOTHING NEW has been turned up on the model home theft and so the question remains, who-dunit?

HATS OFF to Mrs. Miriam Nuttall and her sixth-grade class of Centerville Elementary School for their fine work in the March of Dimes campaign. Instead of bringing dimes for the Polio Fund, Mrs. Nuttall asked the class to bring items for an auction. Students brought suitable objects from their homes for this purpose and many also parted with personal treasures. Jimmy Siatt, for instance, donated a new Christmas toy. Twenty-five cents was the top price paid for any one article at the auction, which was held January 22 and which netted \$21.35. Special credit is due Mrs. Nuttall for devising this plan which served a dual purpose: that of aiding the fight against polio, and that of teaching the students that sacrifice to help others is oftentimes necessary but always rewarding.

Cites Handymen

One out of every four homes built recently was constructed all or in part by its owners, Frank Colbourn Jr., power-tools executive, told the Rotary Club here last week.

The speaker demonstrated a full line of woodworking tools using fancy cuts on lengths of wood. He was introduced by Jack Parry, program chairman.

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DANCE CLINIC SET AT WASHINGTON HI

With the hopeful purpose of increasing attendance and enjoyment of the school dances, the Washington Union High School Student Council last week instituted a modern dance clinic for interested students.

The idea, submitted by Student Body President Larry Stewart, was warmly received by the administration as well as by the many students who attended the three-night instruction.

In order to increase the students' knowledge of modern dancing, instructors Gertrude Dutra and Irving Hird taught certain ballroom steps, the jitterbug and Lindy Hop, and Latin-American dances on successive evenings.

The 150 students who attended the clinic were afforded the opportunity of improving their present dancing techniques as well as of learning new steps they will want to try at future school dances.

NEWARK NEWS

By PAT BINDER

DON'T move to Niles yet, "Man Who Pays the Bills." We are preparing another Best-Dressed list to be published sometime in the near future. Our Good Cook list will be continued next week.

NOT that we wouldn't like to have her talent, but neither Kitty Sammon nor Pat Binder is the author of the "Suzy Sez" column. Suzy lives in Orchard Park.

MILLICENT FERRY daughter of Frank and Alberta Ferry, was three years old last Friday. Helping Millicent celebrate her birthday at a party on Saturday were Terry, Gayle and Michele Rodericks, Robby and Mary Marshall, Linda Serafino, Johnny and Michael Mazor, Maureen and Michele Milan, Linda Eagler, and Millicent's sister, Marilyn. Guests at the Ferrys Friday night were the Stanley Mazors, the Joe Ferrys and Mrs. Augusta Schulz.

GEORGIE McDERMOTT celebrated his second birthday at a party given by his parents, Mac and Mary McDermott on Monday. Present were June DeKnoop and son Jimmy, Edith Roderick and children, Terry, Gayle, Michele and Kim, Ann Hernandez, Lima Campbell and son Michael, Maureen Thiessen and daughter Cathy, Dolores Lindsay and children, Chappie and Chrissy, Cathy and Michael Nunes, Patricia Binder, Joan Brooks and George's sister, Maryann, and brother Butchie.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to Mary Sammon who was 39 again January 25. The Sammons were in Antioch last Thursday to visit Ed and Laura Costello, former Newark residents.

ANOTHER happy birthday to Ann Hernandez, who celebrated hers yesterday.

MARY FRANCES COLLINS celebrated her birthday last Friday with a party. Joining in the celebration were Kenny Buschke, Denny Gyax, Eddie Mello, Skip Lacey, Greg O'Connor, Guy Turnage, Cheryl Ornellas, Shelby Rice, Shirley Bernardo and Diane Robertson. Mary Frances was six years old January 23.

BERNIE FRANCIS is the new employee at the Newark Pharmacy.

CHARLES POOL, son of Jack and Betty Pool, was guest of honor at a birthday party last Sunday. Guests were Willard Walker, Steven Hicks, David Campagna, Johnny Binder, Stanley Mazor, Butch Perl, Kenny Carrion, Dinky See and Charles' sister, Velma Ruth. The Pools also celebrated Sunday evening with a family dinner. Charles was seven January 22.

GATHERING at the Sammons home January 22 to take part in a birthday party for Roddy were Janet Haynes, Tommy Gorman, Robert Souza, Paulette Snowden, Gary Peters, Gary Carroll, Dickie Ramsey, Willard Walker, Bobby Ligon, Jennie Runnels, Evelyn Armstrong, Stevie Neves, Linda Querner, Linda Homen, Jeffrey Freitas, Becky Runnels, Joan Freitas, Dean Witercraft, Charles Galloway, Gayle Miranda and Roddy's sisters, Cathy and Lyn. Roddy was six years old.

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IRVINGTON NEWS NOTES

By PATSY PEREIRA

VISITING Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Shepherd and family on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Gregory and son, Gary, of Manteca.

VISITING Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pereira Sunday afternoon were Joe Pereira of Mission San Jose and Mrs. Hazel Bensky and daughter, Marianna, of Burlingame.

RUBEN ESPINOZA celebrated his 18th birthday Saturday, January 23, with a party.

MR. and MRS. JOE BURNSED and boys had a dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Van Groughn in Sunnyvale last Sunday.

MR. and MRS. FRED KUHNE and son, Freddy, and daughter, Louella, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orras Johnson in Hayward.

MR. and MRS. MARTIN FLORES of Cabrillo Park, Centerville, are the proud parents of a baby girl born on January 23 at the Permanente Hospital. She weighed 6½ pounds and is named Shirley Ann. The baby has two older brothers, Martin Jr. and Arthur. Grandfather is E. E. Espinoza of Irvington.

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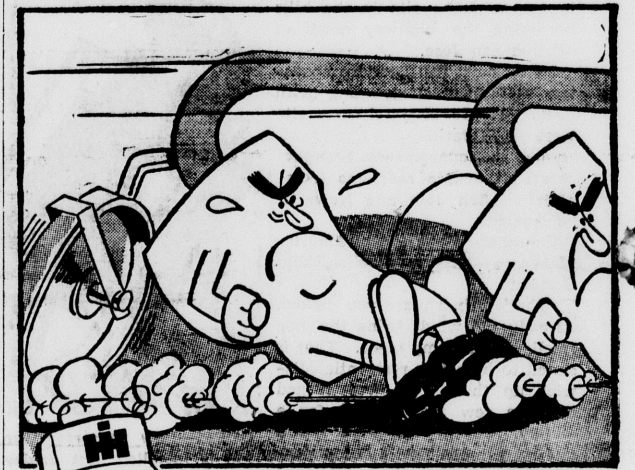
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By REGINA SCHNEIDER

AT A PARTY in the home of Mrs. Anna May Campagna last Thursday, guests were: Minnie Medeiros, Sally Souza, Stella Pacheco, Mae Mendonca, Mary Rodrigues, Dorothy Koelsch, Irma Vargas, Josephine Chambers, Laura Brown, Eda Swanson, Aldina Garcia, Mary Duarte, Minnie Abreu. Mrs. Campagna was presented with a set of silverware, and guests were served coffee, cake, snails and coffee.

A HAPPY EVENT took place last Sunday in the Cunha family as Mr. and Mrs. Almo "Cappy" Cunha had their first child, Diane Elaine, at the San Jose Hospital. The little lady weighed 5 pounds and 6 ounces. The proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cunha.

I WONDER how many Missionites looked out of their windows on Sunday to see that beautiful snow fall on Mission Peak?

MR. and MRS. CLARENCE "Weezer" HERNANDEZ were up from San Diego this week-end to visit with "Weezer's" mother, Mrs. Josephine Chambers.

I STOPPED BY at the Fig Tree Station last Sunday and was presented with a match book with Bill and Winnie Fernandez' little

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REUNION SLATED BY WUHS '53-ERS

Washington Union High School's latest group of graduates, the class of 1953, will hold its first reunion Friday evening, January 29.

A buffet supper in the high school cafeteria at 6.15 will start the evening's get-together. Following the supper, the alumni will attend the basketball games between Washington and Los Gatos.

Instrumental in organizing this first reunion was the class council under its president, Tony Nieves. Members of the council who are working on the arrangements are Fred Vizcarra, Frank Murakami, Antoine Rigmaden, Joyce Sloniker, Jean Furtado, Allice Rodriguez, Margaret Nunes, Dick Guerra, and Frank Galvan. This group anticipates similar reunions to be held each five years after this initial gathering.

All members of the Class of 1953 are urged to attend. Reservations may be made by contacting Judson Taylor, class advisor, at the high school.

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J. SVOBODA HEADS PSS CREDIT UNION

Joseph Svoboda was reelected president of the Pacific States Steel Corporation Credit Union at their meeting Friday, January 22.

Serving with him for the current year are Louis Manuel, vice-president; and Mrs. Lois Still, treasurer. Credit - committee members are Cecil Bettencourt, chairman; Carlos Villegas, secretary; and members Emilio Gudino, James Persinger Jr. and Louis Margaretich.

Supervisory committee members are William Davis, chairman; Lawrence Slattengren, secretary; and William Garcia.

Bakery in Niles

A bakery and snack bar will be opened in Niles next week, it was announced today by Mr. and Mrs. Antone Tilatti, formerly of San Jose, who have leased the former cafe on First Street between H and I.

The Tilattis add they contemplate a complete remodeling job, and that they will operate under the name of Niles Doughnut Shop. They have been in the bakery business in San Jose for 30 years.

PINOCHLE TOURNEY WON BY CARDOZA

Louis L. Cardoza, Centerville realtor, won the Native Sons Pinochle tournament in Centerville last week with 6510 points.

C. Rego, scoring 6190 points, was second, and former champ Al Silva, scoring 5780 points, finished in third place.

Other scores: L. Lucio 5760, J. Andrade 5610, D. Amaral 5430, W. Pine 5320, M. Azevedo 5200, C. Lebon 4690, V. Rose 4630, S. Roderick 4440, S. Rogers 4410, J. Lewis 4380, C. DiGiulio 4250, and L. Havey 3670.

In the doubles Al Silva and C. Rego came through to outpoint the champion and former cham-

pion by 260 points.

Team scoring: Silveria and Rego 11,970, Azevedo and Cardoza 11,710; Pine and Andrade 10,930, Lucio and Rose 10,390, Amaral and Lewis 9810, Lebon and Lebon 9380, Rogers and Roderick 8850, DiGiulio and Havey 792.

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Mexican Luncheon Set For February 25

"Mexicana" is the theme chosen by Mrs. Beth Grimmer and her committee for the luncheon to be sponsored by the Mothers' Guild of St. Mary of the Palms School.

The luncheon will be held on Thursday, February 25, at 1 p.m. at the Country Club on Parish Avenue, Centerville. Tickets are now available from Guild members at \$1.25 each.

Assisting Mrs. Grimmer with this affair are Mesdames Alice Pauline, Margaret Rose, Marie Silva, Ruth Viera, Shirley Cornett, Billie Calcagno, Laura Pessagno and Elaine Goetz.

Decorations are being planned by Mrs. Shirley Cornett, assisted by Mrs. Florence Porter and Mrs. Anne Rose.

Mrs. Marie Silva is in charge of the program which will be in keeping with the Mexicana theme. Mrs. Henry is in charge of the gifts.

Club's Sixth Birthday

Past President's Club of St. Jude's YLI, Irvington, celebrated its sixth birthday last week with a dinner at the Villa de la Paix. Isabel Vargas, president, and Anne Rose, secretary-treasurer, were honor guests in recognition of a year's perfect attendance.

Decoto Whist Next Week

Decoto PTA will hold its annual whist party Friday, February 5, at 8 p.m., in the Decoto School auditorium at Sixth and H Streets, according to Mrs. Amelia Vargas, chairman.

...Around the Township...

Women's Club Schedules Interesting Speaker

With Baroness Lotte von Strahl as speaker for the February 2 meeting, members of the Washington Township Women's Club have a rare treat in store, according to Mrs. Anna Bradford, president.

Baroness von Strahl, born in Germany, and daughter of the Dutch Consul General, is an authority in the science of graphology, and will talk on "Personality Analysis Through Handwriting," among other subjects.

She is well-informed on world affairs, social problems and the study of child development, plus having been adviser to law courts, police authorities, banks and commercial establishments in her native land.

Baroness von Strahl has lived an exciting life in Holland, Germany and England, and has traveled over the world, one assignment in the Intelligence Department of the Government of South Africa lasting over a period of five years.

Club members are urged to attend this outstanding meeting.

Music preceding the speaker will be presented by Diane Mento, vocalist, accompanied by Mrs. Harriet Thornburg.

Mrs. Bradford will preside over the regular business of the day and hostesses for the afternoon will be Mesdames R. A. Sparrowe, chairman; C. G. Perkins, Joe shepherd, Harry Weber and Bertha Spurrier.

Tea will be served.

Relative Dies

Mrs. Anna Bradford is in Byron to attend the funeral of her brother-in-law, Ed Krumland, who died Monday in a Stockton hospital. Services will be held Thursday.

Winter Vacation

The Dan Marbles of Niles are home after two weeks vacation in Southern California visiting Mr. and Mrs. Louie Coe of Inglewood and friends in Beaumont.

They were accompanied on the journey south by Mrs. Blanche Washburn of Bouckville, New York, who was a houseguest of the Marbles for a month.

Thelma Biale of Niles To Marry Deane Lyon

Miss Thelma L. Biale and Deane Lyon, both of Niles, will be married February 20 in an evening ceremony at Corpus Christi Church with Father Richard O'Connell officiating.

The young couple announced their engagement at a family gathering during the Christmas holidays.

Thelma, daughter of Mrs. Marion Biocchi and the late Jack Biale, graduated from Washington Union High School in 1946 and is presently employed as a secretary at Niles Poultry Breeding Farm.

Deane also attended Washington Union High School and has been employed by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company in Newark for five years. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lyon.

Congregational Guild Sets Spring Luncheon

Thursday, February 18, has been reserved by the Ladies' Guild of the Niles Congregational Church for its annual spring luncheon.

This announcement came today from Mrs. Florence Myrick, guild president. Mrs. Myrick said further details will be announced next week.

At Bridal Shower

Betsy Ross Parlor No. 238, Native Daughters of the Golden West, held a bridal shower Wednesday evening for Doris Bettencourt, who married Joseph Smith Jr. of Milpitas, on January 20.

The new Mrs. Smith was presented with a silver set, as well as many other gifts.

The table centered attention on two wedding cakes with umbrellas as favors. Sandwiches and coffee were served. Chairman for the evening was Madeline Caldeira.

Home from Trip

Miss Theresa Gallegos of Mission San Jose returned last week from a three months' trip to Venezuela, where she visited relatives.

HARBINGER OF SPRING



If winter comes, can spring be far behind? Obviously not, with this bright new cotton frock as one of the first harbingers of spring. It is a gay, multi-colored print of garden flowers in full bloom. Designed by Carol King in Bates wrinkle-shedding disciplined cotton, the full skirted dress is wrapped at the midriff Grecian style with a cording sash.

Laura Loma Parlor Installs Officers

Officers of Laura Loma Parlor No. 182, Native Daughters, were installed by Deputy Grand President Maxine Clements and her corps of officers from Fruitvale Parlor at a meeting in Boliba Hall, Niles on January 19.

Mrs. Juanita Tuana was the chairman of the refreshment committee and was assisted by Mrs. Marjorie Franco, Mrs. Enis Havey, Mrs. Mary Fields, Mrs. Mae Moore and Miss Patricia Rose.

Mrs. Mae Rose, Mrs. Leontine Rose, and Mrs. Ethel Fournier were in charge of decorations. Mrs. Marguerite Crane was in charge of gifts.

(Mrs. Susan DiGiulio and Mrs. Dorothy Janeiro were initiated into Laura Loma Parlor.

Rodger is Seven

A birthday party was held at his home by Rodger Rausch of Orchard Park.

He celebrated his seventh birthday by playing games and serving lunch to the following: Mike Mohn, Preston Betts, Bruce Jensen, Kenny Gittings, Judy Trieber, David Sanchez, Bobby Mathews, Lawrence Deitz, Martin Waller, John Insdahl and Billy Lindeke.

At Convention

Dr. J. M. Hicks of Niles is attending the annual midwinter conference of the State Veterinary Medical Association at Davis.

De Guadalupe Institute Plans Meeting Move

Members of DeGuadalupe Institute No. 74, Y.L.I., are planning to move to Centerville to hold their meetings in the Holy Ghost Parish Hall.

They came to this decision at a meeting held in Boliba Hall, Niles, on January 21.

Following their meeting, refreshments were served by Miss Patricia Santos and Miss Joyce Rebello, assisted by Mrs. Arline Dubuque and Mrs. Elizabeth Norris.

The Past Presidents Club of DeGuadalupe met at the home of Mrs. Laura Mayer, and will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. Susan Murphy on February 10. At that time, they will reveal "secret pals" for the year.

Houseguests

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Offel of Niles are enjoying a visit from her mother, Mrs. Winona Jeffery of Crab Orchard, Nebraska.

Mrs. Jeffery was brought here by another daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Watkins of Bellingham, Washington, who stayed for a visit before returning home this week.

Also a visitor at the Offel home was Mrs. Offel's aunt, Mrs. Etta Marshall of Sunnyvale.

Mothers' March Set

Headed by Mrs. Raymond Bass, mothers of Irvington will conduct their annual porchlight March of Dimes drive next Tuesday night.

The campaign will proceed between 7 and 9 p.m., and Irvingtonians are asked to leave their porch lights on to aid the marchers.

Assisting Mrs. Bass will be Mrs. Paul Baker, Mrs. Vernon Black, Mrs. John Hupman, Mrs. Robert Holt and Mrs. Martha Stone.

CITIZEN AWARD TO JEAN TACANG

Jean Tacang, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Tacang of Newark, has recently been selected as the "Good Citizen" for a contest sponsored by the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Jean, a senior at Washington High, was chosen out of the three finalists selected at a meeting of the Senior girls of Washington Union High School. Final selection was made by a faculty committee.

The qualities sought after in the "Good Citizen" are dependability, service, leadership, and patriotism. Jean's school record helped to qualify her in the eyes of her classmates and faculty associates.

Jean is a member of the California Scholastic Federation and has participated in many of the school's extra-curricular activities. At the present time she is serving as treasurer of the student body. She will receive a pin and a certificate of award, and will represent the school in further competition in the D.A.R. contest.

YLI Pastry Sale

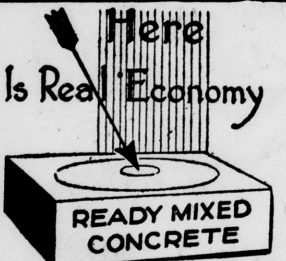
Mrs. Mary Rivers is in charge of the pastry sale to be sponsored by St. Jude's, Y.L.I., of Irvington, on Saturday, January 30.

The sale will be held in Leal Hall on Mission Street, Irvington. Door will be open at 10 a.m. to receive pastry and sale will start at 11.

Members are urged to bring pastries early.

Visit Relatives

Mr. and Mrs. George Renn and party of Vallejo Street, Niles, spent last week-end in Stockton visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Tovaas, and cousins, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Evans and Mr. and Mrs. John Evans.



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BUCS, COMETS MEET FOR LEAGUE CROWN

Campbell and James Lick set the stage for their crucial game tomorrow night, both capturing their third straight victories last week.

The Buccaneers squeezed past tough Mt. View 59-51, as Tom Hansen scored 26 points.

The Comets turned back Los Gatos, 54-46.

The Fremont Indians kept their title hopes alive as they walloped Live Oak, 55-32. Pete Mathiesen paced the Sunnys with 23 points.

This week's schedule:
Los Gatos at Washington
Campbell at James Lick
Santa Clara at Fremont
Live Oak at Mountain View

HUSKIES WIN, 68-50

San Jose Tech's five bowed to the Washington Huskies, 68-50, in Centerville Tuesday.

Alan Olk paced the winners with 18.

Washington grabbed the lightweight game, 40-36. Orozco hit 13 for the Husky 130s.

TOWNSHIP REGISTER Sports

Huskies Edge Santa Clara, 50-46; Meet Cat Cagers Here Friday

By BOB HIRD

Coming through with a torrid fourth-quarter rally, the Huskies from Washington Hi captured their first S.C.V.A.L. basketball win last Friday, as they squeezed past the Santa Clara Panthers, 50-46, on the loser's court.

The hustling Huskies go after their second victory tomorrow night. They play host to a strong Los Gatos quintet, which stars Forward Dick Princehouse, who in three contests has averaged 17 points per game.

The preliminary game gets under way at 7:30.

Lank Guard Allan Olk paced his team to victory against the Santa Clarans. Olk contributed 21 points and controlled both

backboards throughout the game. His shooting percentage for the evening was 62.

The Panthers took the lead as the first quarter ended. Guard Gerry Flansburg scored six digits, and his team led 11-10.

The Malemutes bounded back in the second period with Olk and Forward Bob Hird pacing the attack. The locals held a 25-22 advantage at the half.

Forward Raul Orozco showed to his best advantage for the season, continually stealing the ball from Santa Clara's handlers.

The Panthers displayed their best ball of the contest during the third period and overtook the Huskies, 38-36. All S.C.V.A.L. Forward John Perry, and John Zambethi sparked the rally.

The Huskies got together again in the fourth period and began creeping up. The Orange and Black trailed by one point with a minute and a half left in the game. Then Olk sank his sixth point of the quarter, giving them a 47-46 lead. Center Jim Meyer sank two free throws with 45 seconds left to play and Hird sank one with 10 seconds left to put the game on ice for the Centerville Club.

Flansburg paced the Panthers with 11 points, while Zambethi and Perry added 10. Raul Orozco added 10 for the local's cause.

The Washington 130s stayed on top of the S.C.V.A.L. race as they sneaked past a strong Santa Clara lightweight team, 31-28.

The Juniors had to come from behind after a slow first half. Ray Orozco paced the Puppies with 14 points.

Varsity box score:	FG	FT	TP
Agrella	0	1	1
Orozco	5	0	10
Hird	2	1	5
Meyer	3	2	8
Santos	1	3	5
Olk	10	1	21

Score by quarters:	10	15	11	14	50
Washington	10	15	11	14	50
Santa Clara	11	11	16	8	46

S.C.V.A.L. STANDINGS

	W	L
Campbell	3	0
James Lick	3	0
Fremont	2	1
Washington	1	2
Santa Clara	1	2
Mountain View	1	2
Los Gatos	1	2
Live Oak	0	3

B STANDINGS

	W	L
Washington	3	0
Campbell	3	0
Los Gatos	2	1
Mountain View	1	2
Santa Clara	1	2
James Lick	1	2
Live Oak	1	2
Fremont	0	3

San Jose Wins

Outscored in every quarter except the third, Washington Hi varsity basketballers dropped a non-league tilt to San Jose Tech last Wednesday by a 66-48 margin.

The red-hot San Jose attack was spearheaded by Ben Gonzales, who tanked 21 points.

Alan Olk, for the Huskies, garnered 13 to lead his club.

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BOY SCOUTS ACTIVE IN CENTERVILLE

The first Scout Committee meeting for 1954 starts off a big program of activity for Troop No. 1, Centerville.

Scoutmaster Phil Brazil announces a "Trip a Month" program for the boys.

An over-night trip to Big Basin is already scheduled for February 13 and 14. The boys worked out meals for this trip at last Thursday's Scout meeting.

Reservations have already been requested for Dimond-O Camp for this coming June. A capacity turnout is expected due to the favorable reaction from last year's trip.

On February 6, Troop 1 will hold a cake sale, including pies and cookies. Funds from this sale will go towards helping boys to

Dimond-O Camp this summer. The cake sale will be held at the Centerville Food Market.

Brazil announces the added services of two new assistant Scout-

masters, W. B. Mosser of Orchard Park, and Norman Coit, both from Centerville and both highly qualified men for this important post.

The beginning of this year sees eight first class Scouts out for merit badges.

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Thursday, January 28, 1954

THE BRICKER AMENDMENT

Congress is reefing its galluses for a bitter scrap over the so-called Bricker Amendment, which would put strict limits on a President's treaty-making powers. Underneath is the issue which nearly prevented us from becoming a nation some 160-odd years ago: state's rights.

The original 13 colonies had an awful time getting together under the Constitution, because they couldn't agree that the Federal Government should have the right to deal with foreign powers. Virginia and other states wanted to deal separately. Such is the underlying intent of the Bricker Amendment: it would make it necessary for the 48 States to ratify foreign treaties "when they affect internal affairs"—which is just about always. The resulting confusion and delay can be imagined.

Senator Bricker fears another Franklin Roosevelt might short-change our nation by "giving away" our sovereign rights under the stress of international bargaining. But a worse danger is in the certainty that no President ever would be able to draw a treaty that would be approved by the separate States. The effect would be to hamstring us in dealings with foreign powers, and to wreck our hard-bought alliances where Russian intrigue has been unable to wreck them.

The U. S. Senate still has its check on ill-considered treaties. This check was effective—whether for good or evil—when Woodrow Wilson was promoting the League of Nations. That ought to be limit enough on the powers of our President or State Department. More red tape would serve to tie down our initiative and to deliver that precious initiative into the hands of our enemies.

A CHANCE TO DECIDE

Along with a lot of other folks in Washington Township, we feel pretty good this week about that ok for Flood Control Zone 5.

This newspaper supported Zone 5 from the first, because we feel it is the one boost the Central Township needs more than any other to make it progress.

There never was any real opposition to forming Zone 5, it turns out—just people who didn't understand it. When the capable engineers, Herb Crowle and Jim Vivrette, explained it in detail, doubts vanished.

Now Crowle and his staff will prepare plans to make the zone a reality. Within a few weeks, these plans should be ready to present at public meetings. This newspaper will report those meetings in detail.

Flood control makes duller reading than, say, a kidnapping or Barbara Hutton's weddings. But it's something we all ought to take time to learn a little about. It means money in or out of our pockets. That interests every one of us, doesn't it?

SON'S LABOR LOST

While President Eisenhower and Congress are wrestling with income-tax reform, we'd like to put in an ear for one change that the President suggested, one that may come up for debate.

This concerns the present provision that youngsters no longer can be claimed as dependents for tax purposes if they earn more than \$599 a year.

With inflated wage-scales, it is the unusual lad who can't turn more than \$600 a summer, yet Dad has to make him quit work for the year at the \$599 mark to get that valuable exemption.

Perhaps the whole question of exemptions needs revision. We say it costs more than \$600 a year to clothe and feed a 17-year-old. Anyhow, in a free economy, he ought to earn all he can without penalizing his old man.

WINTER'S HAND

Some people dislike winter; we welcome the bleak season. It gives us a new look at some old scenery.

We often wonder, as we pass some winter-stripped orchard, why we never noticed that pretty house, or that imposing barn before. It was always hidden from sight under the leaves.

This year another new out-look was provided by our old friend, Mission Peak. Last week-end's chill brought a white mantle halfway down the Township landmark, and if you saw it from behind, there was a whole snowfield stretching out to the East—almost enough to ski on.

Winter does give us a new prospect. Still... we'll be happy to see the buds and blossoms again. And to see the gas bill go down.

SUZY
SEZ...



It was a good thing she had on a full-length coat last week, when that Irvington woman went shopping, and discovered her dress was ripped from hem to waist.

My youngest is a collector, as I discovered when I had occasion to check his dresser drawers. All the clothes were stuffed into one drawer so that the rest could house his assorted "valuable junk" ranging from rocks to pencil stubs.

Even though poinsettias and Christmas cactus are still blooming, those holiday decorations should really be taken out of local store windows. It's no wonder some folks refer to this as "sleepy Washington Township."

Did you know that those colored thumb tacks can be used for trim on many things around the house, including picture frames and shelves?

Try putting a new cork in your thermos bottle, and you may find that the old one was affecting the taste of the beverage.

I guess some folks can't read, or perhaps they don't know how to park parallel; otherwise why would they continue to park diagonally on Fremont near Main, in Centerville?

A Township woman won't know until she reads this, that the reason her husband doesn't lose weight on his diet, is that he stops for hamburger and pie at a local eatery, before going home to salad and clear soup every night.

Remember, when you get something for nothing, some one else gets nothing for something.

You know that Indian proverb, don't judge a man until you've walked in his moccasins for three days? Well, just once I'd like to have someone walk three days in my new ones, so I wouldn't have that tough breaking-in period.

I certainly enjoyed watching the interior of a new Township house being plastered in the old-fashioned way. I'd almost forgotten the magic way an expert plasterer can transform bare laths to a smooth white surface.

If your small ones protest at hand washing, do as a Newark mother does, and remind them that doctors always have scrubbed hands.

I saw a clever toy for an infant at a Mission store. A mother had given her baby-carriage-age child some crackly paper in a plastic food bag. He had a noisy toy that could not choke him. He also left the grocery bags alone.

Tonight, why not sit down and write a letter to that boy you know who is far away in the country's service? If you are poor at writing letters, send along clippings and photos of folks he knows.

The large crowd at the Flood Control meeting in Centerville last week indicates the power of the press, notably this paper; only it is a shame folks have to be jolted out of their rut to become aware of the need for progress.

Want to know how to get ahead? Use the one you have!

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News of Township Churches

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Niles

10 a., first worship service, Church School.
11 a.m., second worship service.
6 p.m., Senior High School Youth Group.
7 p.m., Junior High Group.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

Niles

The Lesson-Sermon to be read Sunday, will include citations from the Bible and from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Niles

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
Youth activities, 6:30 p.m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p.m.
Rev. Noel Glover is the pastor.
Beginning Sunday morning, February 7, a 6-weeks Sunday School contest will get under way at the First Baptist Church. We hope to reach our aim of "One Hundred More in Fifty Four." At the close of the contest, free airplane rides will be given to the children and young people. Rules of the contest will be published next week.
The pastor's topic for Sunday morning is "The Believers Relationship, Equipment and Responsibility." A baptismal service will be held in conjunction with the evening worship service.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Irvington

Sunday: 10 a.m., Sunday School; morning worship at 11:15; Westminster Fellowship, 6:30 p.m.

More than 150 people attended the memorial and dedication service for the Mildred Durham Foster Organ last Sunday. Among the congregation were relatives who came from Chicago to be with the Durhams.

Our congregation is very thankful for the cooperation of the other churches of the Township. Special thanks go to Mrs. Martin Tonner of the Newark Presbyterian Church and Mrs. Earl Mackintosh of the Centerville Presbyterian Church for being our guest organists.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Niles

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. Rev. Crawford will speak at 11 a.m. and at 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Old-fashioned prayer meeting.

A Youth Revival will start Sunday, January 31, and last until February 7 (no services on Saturday).

Rev. Fred C. Kennedy, former director of Maine Youth for Christ of America, will be the special speaker. Mr. David Cole of Pasadena will be the song evangelist. Everyone is welcome to attend these special youth services at 7:30 each evening. First service January 31, at 11 a.m.
Young peoples' service at 6:30.

ST. JAMES' EPISCOPAL

Centerville

Sunday services:
Holy Communion, 8 a.m.
Church School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a.m.
Monday, 7 p.m., Supper Club.
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Young Peoples' Fellowship.
Thursday, 7:30 p.m., choir practice; 8 p.m., Men's Club.

FULL GOSPEL TEMPLE

Niles

Rev. Fred C. Hahn is pastor.
Services, The Lord's Day, morning, 9:45; evening, 7:30.
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Family Circle Christmas program.
Friday, 7:30 p.m., Young Peoples service.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Centerville

Sunday: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. Sermon at 11 a.m.
Service at 11 led by members of Youth Fellowship in recognition of Young Peoples' Day, January 31. Topic will be "Where Do We Go from Here?"
Session meeting Monday.
Youth Fellowship topic Sunday evening, 8:30 p.m., led by Sharon O'Dell, is: "The Trinity Three Gods of One?"

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Centerville

Pastor C. L. Paasch extends an invitation to the public to attend any of the following services:
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
(Morning worship, 11 a.m.)
Sunday evening - evangelistic services, 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday evening service, 7:30.
Young People's service, Thursday, 7:45 p.m.

LATTER DAY SAINTS CHURCH

Centerville

Sunday: 9 a.m., Priesthood; 10:30 a.m., Sunday School; 6 p.m., Sacrament service.
Wednesday: 10 a.m., Relief Society; 4:30 p.m., primary; 7 p.m., Young Ladies M.I.A.

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Centerville

Worship service is being held each Sunday morning at 9:30 a.m. in the Center Theater. Sunday School is at 10:30.

TREASURY REPORT

Washington Township Chamber of Commerce has \$1126 in its coffers, Treasurer Harry Weber reported Monday. Sole expenditure for the month was \$150 to Secretary-Manager A. A. DeMello.

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9:00 Morn. Matinee.

11:30 W. Dink & You.

9:30 KPIX Kitchen.

10:00 Ding Dong Schl.

10:30 Bkfst. in Ho.

11:00 Sandy Spillman.

11:30 Physical Chrm.

12:00 Movie Quiz.

12:30 Howdy Doody.

1:00 Romance Hour.

1:30 Del Courtney.

2:00 Strike It Rich.

2:30 Design for Lels.

3:00 Go Shopping.

3:30 Exclusively Yrs.

4:00 Art Linkletter.

4:30 The Bennetts.

5:00 Cate's Ckck.

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Movie

2:00 Sub. Matinee.

4:00 Studio Five.

4:30 Roy Rogers.

5:00 Texas Wrestling.

5:30 Ethel & Albert.

6:00 Amateur Hour.

6:30 Shoot the Works.

7:00 Life Begins.

7:30 Harry Owens.

8:00 Show of Shows.

8:30 Annie Oakley.

9:00 C.P. Theater.

9:30 Fred Waring.

10:00 TV Playhouse.

10:30 Garry Moore.

11:00 Double Decker.

11:30 Orchid Award.

12:00 Liberate.

12:30 Letter to Loretta.

1:00 W. Winter, News.

1:30 Man. Crime.

2:00 Rocky King.

2:30 Look at Books.

3:00 Carl W. Smith.

3:30 Late Show.

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Township Births

DECOTO MEDICAL BUILDING
David Apodaca was born January 16, weighing 6 pounds and 8 ounces, the second child of Mr. and Mrs. George Apodaca of 1156 Maiden Lane, Alvarado.

Abelino Parra, second child of Mr. and Mrs. Abelino Parra of Walnut Street, Newark, made his appearance January 17, weighing six pounds.

Mary Ruth Muro, 8 pounds and 4 ounces, was born January 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Muro, of V and Tenth Street, Alvarado. She is their second child.

Isaac John Rodriguez was born January 21, weighing 4 pounds and 10 ounces. He is the third child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rodriguez of 411 Ninth Street, Decoto.

Ruth Annie Roche, first child of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Roche, RFD Box 401, Niles, was born January 22, weighing 7 pounds, 9 ounces.

Nancy Siroy, five pounds and 14 ounces, was born January 26, the second child of Mr. and Mrs. Romualdo Siroy of Walton Avenue, Centerville.

ON PROBATION

The driver's license of John W. Galey, 845 Second Street, Niles, was placed in probationary status last week for repeated traffic violations, according to the State Department of Motor Vehicles.

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Niles Theater

Last Week's Bonus Winner was DONALD LEWIS, 275 Linda Drive, Niles, who won \$5.00. Jack Pot now \$75.00

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PRIVATE EYES

SUNDAY & MONDAY
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The Washington Township Democratic Club has selected five delegates to represent this area at the statewide pre-primary convention in Fresno, February 6 and 7, it was announced today by Raymond L. Marsh, club president.

More than 1000 representatives of Democratic Clubs and organizations are expected to participate in the selection of candidates for state-wide partisan offices in the June, 1954, primaries.

"Convention procedure will be similar to the national conventions of both parties," Marsh said.

Each club is entitled to send one delegate for every twenty members. Those from the township to go as delegates are Mrs. Gayle Stepp, Niles; Harold Strauel, Hillview Crest; Gordon Greb, Irvington; R. E. O'Flaherty, Mission San Jose; and Marsh.

Hog Ranch Chilled?

The Warm Springs hog-ranch controversy appeared headed for the deep-freeze this week, after word that county officials have washed their hands of the affair.

A letter to the Township Chamber of Commerce from Supervisor Chester E. Stanley informed that body Monday no violation of health laws has been found at Mike Ramaciotti's Ranch, and that if protesting Warm Springs want relief from alleged annoyances there, they must file legal action of their own against the place.

The Warm Springs Chamber, urged on by some of Ramaciotti's neighbors, had asked the county to investigate reports of unsanitary conditions.

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January 31 - February 1
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—plus—
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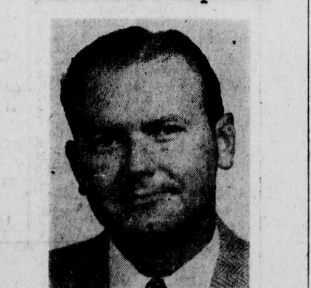
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Zone 5 Formed

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"I just got back from Santa Rosa, and all I could see of my truck up there was the top, sticking out of a flood. Do we want that here?"

Leimbach referred to the refusal of Livermore to take part in Zone 5, saying:

"They kicked us in the pants a year ago, and they did it again last week (in an election on the issue). If we postpone this again, it'll be another year. We're liable to have our houses full of mud, like in Los Angeles."

Leimbach's statement was greeted with a round of applause. Then Commissioner Charles Long Jr. of Hayward called for a standing vote.

Nearly 70 persons stood to be counted in favor of Zone 5. Nobody voted against it, although Ferreira once more rose to counsel delay. So Commission Chairman Patterson said he would make a favorable recommendation to the Supervisors.

Crowle said he will shortly produce plans for the zone. These envision (1) straightening, widening and deepening Alameda Creek, (2) long ditches from the hills to the Bay, carrying storm runoff waters.

STRAUEL TO HEAD 8th DISTRICT DEMOS

Preliminary steps to organize an Eighth Congressional Democratic Council were approved by delegates from clubs in this area at a meeting in the San Leandro City Hall Council chambers, by approving the recommendations of a temporary organization committee.

Election of a temporary president for the council was won by Harold Strauel, teacher, who resides in Hillview Crest and represents the Washington Township Democratic Club.

The delegates named representatives to a Constitution and by-laws committee to draft formal rules of procedure for a permanent organization. Elected as temporary chairman for this group was Gordon B. Greb, Irvington.

Strauel said he will issue a call for a founding convention to meet within the next month. Date and place will be announced.

NOMINATING BODY

Named this week to a nominating committee to bring names of prospective new officers before the Irvington Chamber of Commerce on February 2 were Allan Hirsch, Gus Robertson and Walter Connolly.

MEASLES HERE

Four cases of German measles, three of measles and one of mumps were reported last week in Washington Township to Dr. James C. Malcolm, county health officer.

The 8-hour day was introduced in California hospitals in 1947.

DECOTO FIREMEN RECORD BUSY '53

Chief Roland Bendel reported today that the Decoto Fire Department responded to 75 alarms of fire during the year 1953, traveled 188 miles, worked 39 hours, and laid 5,170 feet of hose of various sizes.

On January 1, 1953, it moved into its new quarters at 920 Tenth Street, and on April 1 employed two paid drivers or engineers.

During the month of December a survey was made by the Underwriters of the Pacific, whose findings have not as yet been received.

The district has at the present time 50 fire hydrants in the Hillview housing area, and 35 in Decoto proper.

Also, during the year, an additional piece of equipment was put into service, this being a 4-wheel drive Willys pickup, known as Squad 1, affectionately called "Little Mo," to be used primarily on hill and grass fires.

A resuscitator was also put into service, and a 5-horsepower tower siren was installed.

Louis Leimbach is currently acting as relief fireman, working 24 hours on Saturday.

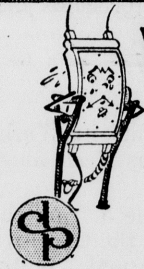
To Pick Officers

A committee to nominate new officers for the Township Chamber of Commerce was named Monday by outgoing Pres. Maurice Marks. Allan Walton is chairman, assisted by Vernon Ellsworth, Frank Borghi Jr. and Gus Robertson.

The group will bring names of prospective officers to the February 25 meeting, at which time they will be voted upon by delegates from the eight towns which make up the Township Chamber.

Marks set the February 25 date because the chamber's regular meeting day, the fourth Monday of the month, falls on a holiday—Washington's birthday.

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